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**UTILITY
PATENT APPLICATION
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(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No.

1423-047

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Title Soybean Cultivar 0509237

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☒ **Assignee Information:** Mertec LLC**APPLICATION ELEMENTS**

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1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form
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2. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status.
3. ☒ Specification Total pages [36]
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- Descriptive title of the invention
 - Cross references to Related Applications
 - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R&D
 - Reference to sequence listing, a table or a computer program listing appendix
 - Background of the Invention
 - Brief Summary of the Invention
 - Brief Description of the Drawings
 - Detailed Description
 - Claims
 - Abstract of the Disclosure
4. ☐ Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) (Total Sheets) []
5. ☒ Oath or Declaration (Total Pages) [1]
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(37 CFR 1.63(d))
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8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission
- a. ☐ Computer Readable Form (CRF)
- b. Specification Sequence Listing on:
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ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9. ☒ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
10. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement
(when there is an assignee)
- ☐ Power of Attorney
11. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
12. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement /PTO 1449
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1051	130	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	[]
1052	50	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	[]
1053	130	Non-English specification	[]
1812	2,520	For filing a request for reexamination	[]
1804	920	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	[]
1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	[]
1251	110	Extension for reply within first month	[]
1252	420	Extension for reply within second month	[]
1253	950	Extension for reply within third month	[]
1254	1,480	Extension for reply within fourth month	[]
1255	2,010	Extension for reply within fifth month	[]
1401	330	Notice of Appeal	[]
1402	330	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	[]
1403	290	Request for Oral Hearing	[]
1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	[]
1452	110	Petition to revive -unavoidable	[]
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1501	1,330	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	[]
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1503	640	Plant issue fee	[]
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1810	770	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	[]
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SUBTOTAL \$40

FEE CALCULATION

1. FILING FEE

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1001	770	Utility filing fee	[770.00]
1002	340	Design Filing Fee	[]
1003	530	Plant Filing Fee	[]
1004	770	Reissue Filing Fee	[]
1005	160	Provisional Filing Fee	[]

SUBTOTAL \$770.00

2. CLAIMS

Paid	Extra Claims	Fee	Fee
Total Claims [29] - 20** = [9] x		\$18 =	[162]
Independent Claims [4] - 3** = [1] x		86 =	[86]
Multiple Dependent Claims +		290 =	[]

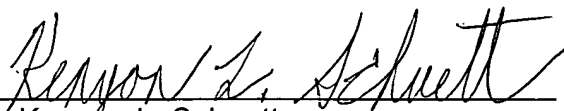
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